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| Applicant(s) request continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the | | | | | |
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An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:

| AMENDED CLAIMS | | | | | | | | |
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| | NO. OF CLAIMS | HIGHEST NO. OF CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | EXTŔA CLAIMS | RATE | ADDT'L FEE | | | |
| Total Claims | 15 | MINUS 20 = | -0- | x \$18 = (103) | -0- | | | |
| Independent Claims | 6 | MINUS 4 = | 2 | x \$84 = (102) | 168.00 | | | |
| If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$280.00 (104) | | | | | | | | |
| Total Amendment Fee | | | | | | | | |
| If small entity status is claimed, subtract 50% of Total Amendment Fee | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT | | | | | | | | |

| [X] | A claim | fee in | the | amount | of \$ | 84.00 | is enclosed |
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[] Charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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